



Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

Prior Authorization Change Effective January 1, 2020 Apple Health (Medicaid)

Effective January 1, 2020, requirements for Prior Authorization with Molina Healthcare of Washington will change for CPT codes 90675 (Rabies vaccine, for intramuscular use), 90691 (Typhoid vaccine, Vi capsular polysaccharide (ViCPs), for intramuscular use), and 90717 (Yellow fever vaccine, live, for subcutaneous use). This change affects Apple Health (Medicaid) members and does not apply to Marketplace members.

Vaccines are covered only when listed on the CDC immunization schedule for adults and children in the United States. Vaccines recommended or required for the sole purpose of international travel are not covered. Additionally, pre-exposure rabies vaccine is not covered. Post-exposure treatment administration of rabies vaccines is covered, if medically necessary.

Previously, CPT codes 90675, 90691 and 90717 did not require Prior Authorization. Molina will require submission of a request for both participating and non-participating providers for claims submitted for any place of service (excluding emergency services). Please submit an invoice detailing cost along with supporting documentation at the time of the Prior Authorization request.

As always, clinical notes are required for review and approval of your authorization request. Submitting the clinical notes along with the Prior Authorization request is recommended to receive a timely and accurate decision.

If prior authorization is required for a requested service, please fax your authorization requests to Molina at (800) 767-7188.

Forms:

- For our prior authorization forms, please see our provider website at: MolinaHealthcare.com/providers/wa/medicaid/forms/PDF/mhwa-guide-request-form-medicaid-2019.pdf

As always our goal is to provide you with excellent customer service. We will continue our commitment to provide high quality support and services to our provider network. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your Provider Services Representative at (800) 869-7175 Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Thank you for your continued service to Molina Healthcare members.